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On POLITICAL HYPOCRISY.

To the AUTHOR *of the* WEEKLY REGISTER.

SIR,

HYPOCRISY in Religion has already had its Reign, and the World has smarted so severely under its Tyranny, that the Cheat will take Place no more; the very Marks and Traces of it are hardly to be found. Men have been so effectually deceiv'd by a Face of Sanctity and Devotion, that they fly from every Appearance that is inforc'd with Austerity and Rigour, in the full Belief that the Farce is over acted, and the Masque worn only to deceive and betray.——Interest and Popularity are always the favourite Views of Hypocrisy, and when one Scheme fails, it has Recourse to another. The *Love of Liberty* is as fine a Bait for Ignorance and Simplicity, as Faith and Grace; and to bellow out *Concern for one's Country*, as fair a Method to become *Patriots*, as the other to become *Saints*; the same Kind of *Craft* that made a Tool of *Religion*, will be as free with *Politicks*, and hope to find its Account in it as well.——For this End every *Saturday* is distinguish'd with noisy Declamations against *Loyalty* and *Power*, that the People may be cheated into a good Opinion of the Authors; that they may be made apprehensive of imaginary Dangers, and fly to them for Preservation. One Writer has debauch'd his better Principles to these detestable Purposes; and another has entirely chang'd his, because they characteris'd his Designs too plainly, before they were ready for Execution.——This is exactly the Case of the *Craftsman* and *Fog*; they have been of quite opposite Principles to one another; but now they are insensibly become the same, and carry on the common Cause with the utmost Harmony.——Mr. *D'Anvers* has been pleas'd to communicate to us a feign'd Treaty of his with a certain Person, (who, by the Way, I am fully convinc'd never once dream'd of any such Concession) but, I believe, 'twill be very easy to prove a real one, between these two political Hypocrites, the Articles of which will be no Credit to either. Hypocrisy, on both Sides, is the Cement of this Union. Mr. *D'Anvers* pretends to be a *Whig*, and yet raves continually against the present Establishment. Mr. *Fog* is a profess'd *Jacobite*, and yet declaims in Favour of *Liberty*. These are the Heroes, the Champions of *Patriotism*, the Lovers of Sincerity, Honesty, and Truth. But is it possible for any to believe them? Can so gross an Artifice pass upon Mankind? Shall we always be deceiv'd, and suffer one Delusion to succeed to another? I think all Men of Reason should be asham'd of being cheated in a Point of such Importance, or suffer such Dissimulation to abuse the Publick.——Their Pretence is Concern for their Country, and a thorough Attachment to its Interest; but let any one consider, if they were actually in the Pay of its Enemies, and receiv'd a continual Reward from them, could they exert themselves more strongly to distress it, or toil more indefatigably in their Assistance? Let us cast an Eye back upon their weekly Collections of personal Scandal, and common-Place Topicks of Patriotism; let us examine them with that Attention and Impartiality, which Truth and Justice require, and we shall find it has been their continual Employ to hang heavy on the Administration, and clog the Wheels of Government. They have endeavour'd perpetually to expose and vilify the Expedients that have been us'd for the publick Tranquility; and the most sacred and honourable Treaties have been ridicul'd as Trifles of no Consideration. They have misrepresented the State of the Nation, magnified Grievances, drawn unjustifiable Parallels, and misrepresented the Spirit of Faction, under the sacred Name of *Liberty*. They have labour'd to render us contemptible to some of our Allies, and suspected by others: They have made Use of every Incident, and every Circumstance in the Cause of Mischief, and gilded over their Baseness with the most specious Names of Virtue: They have attempted to corrupt the Heart of Loyalty, and sow Sedition in a Land of Peace: They have seem'd desirous of general Confusion, and have more than once insinuated their Inclinations to begin it.—Is this *Patriotism*? Is there any one so stupid as to believe it is? Is it possible for such Practices to impose upon the Wise, or even to cheat the Vulgar? I am sure 'tis pity they should; and yet without the least Exaggeration, such have been the continual Endeavours of these boasted *Patriots*, such the detestable Views their Hypocrisy was to cover. Can any true *Briton* consider such abandon'd Creatures, but with Indignation and Contempt? Can any good Subject regard them, but with Distaste and Aversion? Can any Friend to human Nature esteem them, but as Incendiaries and Enemies to the Species? All must conclude them the *Locusts* and *Caterpillars*, that prey upon the Health of the Land, and secret Enemies to the Constitution.—Neither are they only Foes to the Publick in general; but as far as they are able to every Individual; 'tis every Person's Duty to assert his own Character, and whoever endeavours to poison my Principles, declares himself my Enemy, and should be treated accordingly. I am sure every brave Man would consider such a Behaviour as an Insult to his Understanding, as an Affront to his Virtue; and I don't in the least question but there are still Thousands in *Great Britain* who hold fast their Integrity, and are ready to vindicate both themselves and the Administration, with all the Gallantry and Spirit that *Loyalty* and Justice can inspire.——What can the End and Motive be of a perpetual Scrutiny into the minutest Affairs of Government, a never-ceasing Labour to render them odious and contemptible? an ill-natur'd Transport at the bare Appearance of a Mistake, and the eternal Invective against one particular Person? What can be the End and Motive of so malicious, so ungrateful an Employ? Nothing but Pride and Envy, Disaffection and Resentment, cover'd over with the Name of *Patriotism*, and a counterfeit Zeal for *Liberty*.——This is the common Disguise of *political Hypocrisy*, and such are the Principles of those who wear it. Can any Thing be more base? Can any Thing deserve a severer Condemnation? to see Men so ardent in intailing Confusion on their native Country; to see them acting in Conjunction with her worst Enemies; to see them employ'd in deceiving the People, and seducing them from their Loyalty; To see them refin'd in Villany, and not only undermining the Publick Weal, but boasting 'tis their sole Study to defend it: To see such People so execrably employ'd should rouze every Man of Sense to oppose and disappoint them; should awaken the Indolent, and open the Eyes of the Deceiv'd; should unite every Party, and every Interest in the Service of their Country, and make them doubly vigilant in putting its Enemies to Shame.——I think 'tis absolutely incumbent on us to vindicate ourselves from the Aspersion of Fickleness, and Inconstancy; nor always to remain infamous for sacrificing our most favourite Characters, to the Desire of *Change*. Believe me, 'tis on this Weakness of ours these pretended *Patriots* depend, and, if we ourselves are not accessary to their Baseness, it can never take Place. His present Majesty seems to have made himself a Pattern of Wisdom, and Perseverance for us to imitate; the Person he has found Faithful, he is resolv'd to protect and reward; those that are otherwise he covers with Confusion: Let us copy the Royal Virtue; let us judge for ourselves; let us regard the Benefits we receive, and not the Insinuations of those who make it their Business to deceive and betray: In short, let us be our own Friends, and the Friends of the present Establishment, and we shall be sure to be their Enemies.

Some THOUGHTS *on* SEPULCHRAL MONUMENTS.

HOwever amiable Fame may appear to the Living, 'tis certainly no Advantage to the Dead: Whatever Dangers they have dar'd, whatever Toils they have undergone, whatever Difficulties they have surmounted, the Grave is deaf to the Voice of Applause, and the Dust of the Noble and the Vulgar sleep in the same Obscurity together. 'Tis possible the conscious Spirit may have an Idea of the Honours that are paid to his Ashes; but 'tis much more probable that the Prospect of this imaginary Glory, while he liv'd among us, was all the Pleasure it ever could afford him.——I make this Observation, because most Monuments are said to be erected as an Honour to the Dead, and the Living are suppos'd to be the least concern'd in them: Whereas on the contrary, there are few, but what were rather founded in Compliment to the Builder's Vanity, than in Respect to the Name they are inscribed with. One Man's Fame is made the Foundation of Another's, in the same Manner with the Gentleman's, who order'd *this Sentence* to be made his *Epitaph*; *Here lies Sir* PHILIP SIDNEY's *Friend*.——Some there are that mention only the Names of the Persons whose Dust they cover, and preserve noble Silence with Regard to the Hand who rais'd them; but even here, the Dead can receive no Benefit from such disinterested Affection; but the Living may profit much by so a noble an Example.——Another Thing that displeases me, is the Manner of the Inscriptions, which frequently mistake the very Design of ingraving them, and as frequently give the Lie to themselves. To pore one's self blind in guessing out *Æternæ Memoriæ sacrum* is a Jest, that would make *Heraclitus* laugh; and yet most of them begin in that pompous Taste, without the least Reflection that Brass and Marble can't preserve themselves from the Tooth of Time; and if Men's Actions have not guarded their Reputations, the proudest Monument would flatter in vain.

I don't say these Things because I am an Enemy to the Custom: So far from it, no one can admire it more; but what I intend is, to place every Thing on its right Principle, and recommend the propereſt Means for the Consequence.——'Tis certain, there is not a nobler Amusement in the World, than a Walk in *Westminster Abbey*, among the Tombs of Heroes, Patriots, Poets and Philosophers; you are surrounded with the Shades of your great Forefathers; you feel the Influence of their venerable Society, and grow fond of Fame and Virtue in the Contemplation; 'Tis the finest School of Morality, and the most beautiful Flatterer of the Imagination in Nature. I appeal to every Man's Mind that has any Taste for what is sublime and noble, for a Witness to the Pleasure he experiences on this Occasion; and I dare believe he will acknowledge, that there is no Entertainment so various, or so instructive.—— For my own Part, I have spent many an Hour of pleasing Melancholy in its venerable Walks; and have been more delighted with the solemn Conversation of the Dead, than the most sprightly Sallies of the Living. I have examin'd the Characters that were inscrib'd before me, and distinguish'd every particular Virtue. The Monuments of real Fame, I have view'd with real Respect; but the Piles that wanted a Character to excuse them, I consider'd as the Monuments of Folly. I have wander'd with Pleasure into the most gloomy Recesses of this last Resort of Grandeur, to contemplate human Life, and trace Mankind thro' all the Wilderness of their Frailties and Misfortunes, from their Cradles to their Grave.—I have reflected on the Shortness of our Duration here, and that I was but one of the Millions who had been employ'd in the same Manner, in ruminating on the Trophies of Mortality before me; that I must moulder to Dust in the same Manner, and quit the Scene to a new Generation, without leaving the Shadow of my Existence behind me; that this huge Fabrick, this sacred Repository of Fame and Grandeur, would only be the Stage for the same Performances; would receive new Accessions of noble Dust; would be adorn'd with other Sepulchres of Cost and Magnificence; would be crowded with successive Admirers; and at last, by the unavoidable Decays of Time, bury the whole Collection of Antiquities in general Obscurity, and be the Monument of its own Ruin.

Yet in Spite of these sad Reflections, this plain Prospect of general Decay, I must own, 'tis a great Pleasure to me to see a new Statue added to the last; to see another Name of Glory increasing the Catalogue: 'Tis a Taste I am particularly fond of, and what I congratulate the present Age for encouraging so much. I am always one of the first to survey a new Monument, to criticise on its Beauties, and point out its Defects. I have some Thoughts on publishing my *Remarks* on all the Tombs in the *Abbey*: They afford great Opportunity both for Censure and Approbation; and I think a little *Criticism on Statuary*, would not be unserviceable to the Age. I have sometimes the Pleasure of observing a Beauty, and often a Fault in our modern Artists; and should be glad to take an Occasion of applauding the first, and mending the last. I would have all Works of Ornament perfectly beautiful and elegant; or else they disappoint the very Intent of their Being.——I would have all *Statuary*, in a peculiar Manner, excellent. A polite People are most distinguish'd, as such, by their Buildings, their Statues, and their Inscriptions; and I am sorry to say it, we are generally defective in all.——There is one noble *Lord* amongst us indeed, who has taken great Pains, and been at vast Expence, in improving our Taste in one of these Particulars; but I don't find so eminent an Example has influenc'd many more to an Emulation of what has done him so much Honour. In a Word, *Sepulchral Monuments* should be always consider'd, as the last publick Tribute which is paid to Virtue; as a Proof of our Regard for noble Characters; and most particularly, as an Excitement to others to emulate the great Example.——I can't look upon the elegant Pile that is rais'd over the Ashes of Sir *Isaac Newton* in any other Light: His Honours were all owing to his own Merit; neither is it in the Power of the finest Statue, or the sublimest Inscription, to afford him any Addition.——Had his *Remains* rested without a *Name*, like *Milton*, or *Shakespear*, or *Shaftsbury*, or *Nassau*, 'twould have been a new Reproach to an ungrateful People, but no Injury to him. On the other Hand, the utmost Magnificence of Funeral Honours would only be a Credit to us, without doing him any Service.——Having lately observ'd, that this finely *Marble*um had made the Entrance into the

Choir irregular; 'twas anſwer'd, that if we waited for any *equal Name* among the *Moderns* to make it uniform, 'twould hardly be ſo to Eternity; and, if an Inferior was to be rang'd with him, 'twould be a Diſadvantage to both.—— 'Tis moſt certain, that there are very few *Characters* that approach any Thing near to an *Equality*, and the many vain Trials that have been made for his *Epitaph*, is the higheſt Compliment to his Deſert: 'Tis a Proof that Language was too weak to expreſs it, and Hyperbole itſelf too faint for the Admiration that was due to his Accompliſhments.

SATURDAY, *May* 29.

THE intended Progreſs his Majeſty was to have made through ſeveral Parts of this Kingdom, is thought fit to be put off for this Summer; the Court will be at *Hampton Court* and *Windſor*, for the beſt Part of the Seaſon.

The following Days are appointed for the Sittings in the Courts of *King's-Bench* and *Common-Pleas*, after *Eaſter* Term, *viz.*

At *Guildhall* for *London*.		At *Weſtm. Hall* for *Middleſex*.	
Wedneſday	June 2	Tueſday	June 1
Friday	4	Thurſday	3
Monday	7	Saturday	5
Wedneſday	9	Tueſday	8

On *Thurſday* laſt Rear Admiral *Baldwin* hoiſted his Flag at *Portſmouth*, on Board the *Dreadnought* Man of War, a fourth Rate of 90 Guns, Captain *Gaddis* Commander.

Yeſterday Mr. *Barſon* who keeps the *Crown Alehouſe*, in *Barton-ſtreet*, *Weſtminſter*; walk'd for a Wager of eight Guineas, from his own Houſe to the *Powder Mill* on *Hounſlow Heath*, and back again; which he was to have perform'd in three Hours, but loſt it by 25 Minutes.

The Ships of the Squadron of Men of War now equipping, are order'd to be mann'd up to their middle Compliment only.

There are ſeveral Accounts of great Storms of Hail, lately fallen in *Glouceſterſhire*, *Lincolnſhire*, and *Hartfordſhire*, which have done much Damage to the Fruits of the Earth, and broke many People's Windows.

Robb. &c. On *Tueſday* Morning the *Bury* Coach was robb'd at *Snareſbrook*, by *Woodford*; and the *Lyn* Coach was robb'd near *Stratford*, by one Man mounted on a black Gelding, who took from five Women upwards of ſeven Pounds, and from a Gentleman Seven Pence half penny, he obſtinately refuſing to deliver any more——The ſame Day, a Man was committed to the *Gatehouſe*, for demanding Money of a Gentleman on a forg'd Letter.

Deaths. On *Wedneſday* laſt died at *Richmond*, Sir *Iſaac Townſend*, Commiſſioner of the Navy.——A few Days ago died at *Cheſſea*, Mrs. *Aſtell*, a Gentlewoman who wrote ſeveral ingenious Pieces in Favour of Religion and Virtue.——Yeſterday Morning Mr. *Samuel Remnington*, was found dead in his Neceſſary Houſe, at *Low-Layton*. He was formerly an eminent *Hamburgh* Merchant of this City, and acquired a good Eſtate.

MONDAY, *May* 31.

Two curious Buſto's of the late Sir *Iſaac Newton*, and the late Dr. *Clark*, Rector of St. *James's*, are making for her Majeſty by Signior *Gulphy*, which when finiſh'd, will be put up in the *Hermitage*, at *Richmond*.

A fine Houſe 80 Feet in front, will ſhortly be built in the *Privy Garden*, *Whitehall*, for his Grace the Duke of *Montague*.

On *Friday* laſt, the Governor and Directors of the *New market Bank*, met at *William's* Coffee-Houſe, in St. *James's-ſtreet*, and divided 58l. *per Cent.* for laſt *April* Meeting.

We are told from *Ireland*, that a Fire lately happen'd in the Town of *Trim*, in the County of *Meath*, which conſum'd about 40 Houſes.——They alſo tell us that two Men belonging to the *Ballaſt Office*, being at Work in cleanſing the Chanel, near the North Wall, one fell over-board, and the other endeavouring to ſave him fell over alſo, and both were drown'd.

Rome, *May* 5. N. S. Letters from *Aſcoli* give us an Account of a very ſad Accident that happen'd the other Day in that City. A pretty young Creature, repenting of her ſinful Correſpondence with a young Fellow, and confeſſing this among her other Sins to the Curate, he obliged her of courſe to break off this unlawful Intimacy; and when her Lover came with his uſual Expectation, ſhe roundly told him ſhe was reſolv'd to maintain inviolate this Promiſe which ſhe had made to the Curate: The Youth hereupon, in the Fury of his Diſappointment, runs to the Curate's Houſe, where, miſſing him at home, he fell a raving at the old Prieſt's Nephew, ſwearing he would murder his Uncle; which to prevent, the Nephew ſnatches down a Fowling-Piece, and as our *Orlando furioſo* was haſtening out of Doors, ſhot him thro' the Back: The wounded Man cry'd out for Help and a Confeſſor, whom the Surgeon not deeming to be abſolutely neceſſary then, it was deferr'd till the next Morning: The Curate then going to communicate to him, juſt as he was putting the Sacrament into his Mouth, the Rogue drew out a Pocket Piſtol, which he had hid in the Bed, and ſhot the Curate dead, reſigning, not long after, his own Soul, and leaving behind him an Inſtance, that the Soul of Man is capable of filling up the Idea we have of the Evil Spirit, as *Milton* deſcribes him.

Fill'd with obdurate Pride, and ſteadfaſt Hate,
And high Diſdain: Th' unconquerable Will
And Study of Revenge, immortal Rage,
And Courage never to ſubmit or yield;
From whom ev'n Heav'ns dreadful Wrath and Might
Cannot extort to bow and ſue for Grace.

Prof. The following Gentlemen are appointed by the Lords of the Admiralty to be Lieutenants on board his Majeſty's Ships which were lately put in Commiſſion, *viz.*

Mr. *John Towry* firſt Lieutenant, Sir *Roger Butler* ſecond Lieutenant, Mr. *Henry Cornwall* third Lieutenant, Mr. *James Compton* fourth, Mr. *George Pocock* fifth, and Mr. *Thomas Fox* ſixth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Namur*, a ſecond Rate, Captain *Falkingham* Commander.—— Mr. *William Kenſey* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *Charles Pyott* ſecond, Mr. *John Lloyd* third, and Mr. *William Hay* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the Princeſs *Amelia*, a third Rate, Captain *Edward Reddiſh* Commander.——Mr. *Iſaac Power* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *Andrew Hawes* ſecond, Mr. *Edwards* third, and Mr. *William Luther* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Hampton-Court*, a third Rate, the Right Hon. Lord *Vere Bleu lere* Commander.——Mr. *George Cundett* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *Thomas Watſon* ſecond, Mr. *William Knight* third, and Mr. *Alexander Smith* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Norfolk*, a third Rate, Captain *Roberts* Commander.——Mr. *Richard Wilſon* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *George Tockels* ſecond, Mr. *Edward Calo ner* third, and Mr. *Edward Hawke* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Edinburgh*, a third Rate, Sir *Chaloner Ogle* Commander.——Mr. *William Carey* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *James Scott* ſecond, Mr. *Thomas Dono* third, and Mr. *Jacob Cornwall* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Oxford*, a third Rate, Captain *Brown* Commander.——Mr. *Samuel Faulkner* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *John Fenwick* ſecond, Mr. *Edward Herbert* third, and Mr. *Edward Douey* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Berwick*, a fourth Rate, Captain *Norbury* Commander.——Mr. *Thomas Cooper* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *John Morſon* ſecond, Mr. *Samuel Goddard* third, and Mr. *Francis Laſkington* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Grafton*, a third Rate, Captain *Haddock* Commander.——Mr. *Richard Maynard* firſt Lieutenant, Mr. *George Withers* ſecond, Mr. *Alexander Duncomb* third, and Mr. *Chriſtopher Obrian* fourth Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the *Ken*, a fourth Rate, Captain *Obrian* Commander.

Marr. Yeſterday Morning the Hon. Sir *Butler Wentworth*, Bart. was married to Miſs *Weſtby*, Niece of *Wardel George Weſtby*, Eſq; Commiſſioner of the Cuſtoms.

TUESDAY, *June* 1.

Yeſterday being the laſt Day of the Term, *Japhet Crooke*, alias Sir *Peter Stranger*, was brought up to the Court of *King's-Bench*, and ſentenc'd according to the Statute V. *Eliz.* 14. To be ſet upon the Pillory, and there to have both his Ears cut off cloſe to his Head, his Noſtrils ſlit and ſear'd with a hot Iron, to forfeit the Iſſues of his Lands, and ſuffer Impriſonment during his Life.

The Lady *Lawley* was fined 300 Marks, and order'd a Month's Impriſonment, for endeavouring to ſpirit away a Witneſs againſt the ſaid *Crooke*.

One *Mogg*, for keeping a diſorderly Houſe, was ſentenc'd to ſtand in the Pillory, to pay a Fine of one Mark, to be impriſon'd for three Months, and to find Security for five Years.

Seals after *Eaſter Term*, in the Court of *Chancery*.

June 4. Firſt General Seal.
June 15. Second General Seal.
June 16. Petitions.
June 17. Exceptions.

Robb. &c. Yeſterday *Elizabeth Allen*, alias *Fighting Beſs*, was committed to *Newgate*, for picking a Man's Pocket of a Guinea——Three diſorderly Perſons were ſent to *Bridewell* by the *Weſtminſter* Juſtices.

Prof. Robert Forreſter, Gent. is made an Enſign in Col. *Handaſyde's* Regiment of Foot.——Mr. *Robert Nicholſon* is appointed Purveyor to his Majeſty.

Death. Yeſterday Morning died, at his Houſe on *Tower-Hill*, Mr. *Preſcott*, firſt Clerk of the Navy Office.

Shipping. The *Kitty*, Captain *Flemming*, bound from *Liverpool*, *Cork*, and *Madeira*, to *Jamaica*, was loſt in *January* laſt, not far from *Jamaica*, to which Place her Crew had the good Fortune to get.

WEDNESDAY, *June* 2.

Yeſterday a Board was held at the *Admiralty*, when upwards of 100 diſabled Seamen were admitted into *Greenwich Hoſpital*.

We are told from *Portſmouth*, that there are now at *Spithead* 12 Sail of the Line ready for the Sea; and that in a few Days a Squadron of ſeven Sail will proceed directly for *Gibraltar*.

Yeſterday the noted *Moll Harvey* ſtood on the Pillory at *Charing-Croſs*, purſuant to her Sentence, and was ſeverely pelted by the Populace; after which ſhe was remanded back to *Newgate*.

On *Thurſday* laſt Sir *William Wentworth*, Bart. was choſen Member of Parliament for *Malton*, in *Yorkſhire*, in the room of *Wardel George Weſtby*, who was lately made a Commiſſioner of the Cuſtoms.

A curious Monument is preparing to be erected in *Weſtminſter Abbey*, to the Memory of Dr. *Chamberlain*.

Laſt Night a private Centinel belonging to the ſecond Regiment of Foot Guards, jump'd into the *Thames*, from off the Wall of the *King's-Bench Walk* in the *Temple*, with an Intent to drown himſelf, but was prevented by a Waterman.

We are told from *Cambridge*, that on *Saturday* laſt Mr. *Harriſon*, Mr. *Tilſon*, Mr. *Burton*, and Mr. *Trollope*, all Maſters of Arts, were unanimouſly choſen Fellows of *Pembroke Hall*.

The Trial of Mr. *Francklin* for publiſhing the *Craftſman*, is put off till next Term.

Near 100 Men are employ'd in pulling down the Wall of *Kenſington Garden*, in Order to take in ſome Acres of Ground in *Hyde Park*, to enlarge the ſaid Garden.

Yeſterday a great Number of Country Attorneys were admitted Sollicitors in Chancery.

A few Days ſince a nurſery Maid in *Spittle-Fields*, went to an Herb-ſtall hard by her Maſter's Houſe, with a young Child of ten Weeks old, which ſhe laid down while ſhe was viewing what ſhe came to buy; in the mean Time, one *Katherine Towers* took up the Child and carried it away, which cauſed great Trouble to the Family: Some Time after, two Guineas Reward being offer'd to any Perſon who ſhould bring home the Child, ſhe employ'd a Boy to carry it, and receive the ſame; but the Boy upon Examination confeſs'd where he had the Child, and the Woman was taken up, and carried before Sir *William Billers*, who for the preſent ſent her to *Bridewell*, in Order to a farther Examination and Enquiry into her Character.

Robb. &c. On *Monday* Night laſt, Mr. *Mabiſon*, of *Long-Acre*, was robb'd of his Hat and Wig by three Rogues, under the Wall by St. *Anne's* Church, *Soho*, but a Watchman coming out of the Court oppoſite to them, they made off without any other Booty.——The ſame Evening, Mr. *Glover* of *Hounſditch*, was robb'd coming home from *Old-Ford*, by three Foot-pads, of his Watch, 3s. 6d. and his Hat and Wig.——Yeſterday one *Jones* was committed to *Newgate*, for ſtealing Lead from ſome new Buildings in *Gravel-Lane*——The ſame Day, a Woman was committed to *Bridewell*, for ſtealing Linnen out of *Swan-Fields*, near *Shoreditch*.

Prof. Thomas Spicer, Eſq; is made one of the Maſters of the High Court of Chancery.

Deaths. On *Monday* laſt died of a Fever Mr. *Charles Wood*, a Proctor of *Doctors-Commons*.——The ſame Day died *John Deckanſon*, Eſq; a Gentleman of a *French* Extraction, and of a great Eſtate, in the 80th Year of his Age.——Lately died at *Leominſter* in *Herefordſhire*, *John Philpot*, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for that County.——Laſt Week died at his Houſe in *Marine* (Well-Cloſe) *Square*, *Thomas Evans*, Eſq; Surveyor of Tobacco at the *Cuſtom-houſe*, to which Place is annex'd a Salary of 200l. *per Ann.*

Shipping. The *Conſtant Hannah*, Captain *Mat Kenzie*, bound from *Arundel* in *Suſſex*, with a Loading of Corn to *Lisbon*, was loſt the 27th of *April* at St. *Katherine's* near *Figueira*, on the Coaſt of *Portugal*, but her Crew with much Difficulty, had the good Fortune to ſave their Lives.

THURSDAY, *June* 3.

On *Monday* next the Camps are to be form'd on *Hampton Court Green*, for the Parties of the three Regiments which are to be encamped during their Majeſties Reſidence there.

Yeſterday the Right Hon. Sir *Robert Walpole* gave an elegant Entertainment to the Preſident, and ſeveral of the Governors of *Chriſt's Hoſpital*, on Account of his being lately choſen a Governor of the ſaid Hoſpital.

On *Thurſday* Noon a Fire broke out in the Houſe of *James Brian*, Eſq; late High Sheriff of the County of *Eſſex*, which entirely conſum'd the Dwelling Houſe and Furniture.

Michael Hillerſden, Eſq; was on *Tueſday* laſt drank to by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Mayor, to qualify him for ſerving the Office of Sheriff.

At the General Review on *Saturday* next, in *Hyde-Park*, the Officers of the three Regiments of Foot-Guards are ordered to appear in their Regimentals intire, laced Hats and Cockades in them, Gorges, Saſhes, and white Garters, with topp'd Buff-colour'd Gloves, and Square-toed Shoes, and to wear their Hats with the Buttons on the Left-Side; and they are likewiſe ordered, to take Care that their reſpective Companies appear uniform and complete.

The four Troops of Life-Guards are next Week to receive their new Cloaths, and to be review'd by his Majeſty in a few Days after.

Yeſterday at the Sittings of the Court of *Common-Pleas* at *Guildhall*, came on before the Lord Chief Juſtice *Eyre* a

Cauſe between *Robert Jones*, Eſq; and *Rachel* his Wife, Plaintiffs, and *Roger Jones*, Eſq; Defendant, wherein the Plaintiffs obtained a Verdict againſt the Defendant for 8000l. beſides Coſt of Suit.

The ſame Day the Seſſions began at the *Old Bailey*, when the following Perſons were capitally convicted, *viz.* *Elizabeth Corner* and *Thomas Martin*, for robbing a Man in the Fields near *Poplar*, of ten Guineas; *Thomas Cooper*, for forging a Bond; and *William Burroughs*, for ſtopping Mr. *Allen* in a Hackney-Coach near St. *Giles's*, and robbing him of his Hat and Money. Several were convicted for Tranſportation.

Gloucester, *May* 29. On *Monday* in the Afternoon, at *Heyman Park* near this City, a very large Oak-tree was ſplit into ſeveral hundred Pieces, by Thunder and Lightning.

From *Hereford* we have an Account, that one Mr. *Price*, a Farmer, who lived near *Allen Moor*, two Miles from that City, was the ſame Afternoon, alſo with his Horſe, killed by Lightning, as he was going to ſhelter himſelf from the Rain. There was no viſible Wound on him or his Horſe, but his Hat and Wig were ſcorch'd. At the ſame Time a Boy, his Servant, who was with him, was wounded on the Hip.

Robb. Yeſterday one *John Roſs* was committed to *Bridewell*, on a violent Suſpicion of his being concerned in a Robbery in the Fields on *Monday* Night laſt, in Order for further Examination.

Deaths. *Robert Caine*, Eſq; died a few Days ſince at *Kneasborough* in *Yorkſhire*, univerſally regretted by all his Neighbourhood, on Account of his extenſive Charity to the Poor.——On *Monday* Night died, after an Illneſs of four Days, at his Lodgings in *King-ſtreet*, *Covent-Garden*, *Duncad Frazier*, Eſq; of the Kingdom of *Scotland*, a young Gentleman of a plentiful Fortune; and next Week his Corpſe is to be carried thither to be interr'd with his Anceſtors.——A few Days ſince died at *Edinburgh*, in an advanc'd Age, the Right Hon. the Counteſs Dowager of *Stair*, a Lady of almoſt inimitable Piety, having ſpent moſt Part of her Life in her Cloſet and Devotions.

FRIDAY, *June* 4.

On *Wedneſday* next the ſeveral Troops of Horſe and Horſe-Grenadier-Guards are to be review'd by his Majeſty in *Hyde-Park*.

Yeſterday Sir *Joſeph Ayloffe*, Bart. was admitted a Fellow of the Royal Society, who have adjourn'd their Meeting for a Fortnight.

On *Wedneſday* laſt *William Spicer*, Eſq; Secretary of the Preſentations, Bariſter at Law, was ſworn in one of the twelve Maſters in Chancery.

Yeſterday came on at the Court of *King's-Bench* at *Weſtminſter*, before the Rt. Hon. the Lord Chief Juſtice *Raymond*, the Trial (on an Indictment) of Juſtice *Webſter* and Mr. *Carleton*, for violently aſſaulting and wounding Juſtice *De Veil* at the *Leiceſter Coffee-Houſe*, when, after hearing the Proſecutor and his Witneſſes, (who were as full and plain in their Evidence as poſſible could be) the Jury, without going from the Bar, found them both Guilty; and Judgment will be given againſt them next Term.

The ſame Day at the Seſſions in the *Old Bailey* two Perſons were convicted capitally, *viz.* one *Charles Ogilby* for a Robbery on the Highway, and another Man for Horſe-ſtealing.

At the ſaid Seſſions, one *Thomas Frame* was try'd for ſetting Fire to the Houſe belonging to the Turn-pike the Bottom of *Hounſlow-Heath*; and after a long Trial was acquitted, and order'd a Copy of his Indictment by the Court; there being one *Farrington* try'd and acquitted the laſt Seſſions for the ſame Fact.——Alſo one *Anne Powers* was try'd for ſtealing a Note (a late Act of Parliament making it Felony without Benefit of Clergy) and was acquitted.

Laſt Night about Seven o'Clock, the new born Daughter of Sir *William Yonge* was baptized, at his Houſe in *Pall-Mall*, when his Royal Highneſs the Prince of *Wales* ſtood Godfather in Perſon, the Ducheſs of *Newcaſtle* and the Lady *Guilford* Godmothers. The Ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. *Gilbert*, Dean of *Exeter*, and Sub-Almoner to his Majeſty.

We have an Account from *Cheltenham* in *Glouceſterſhire*, that the Damage done thereabouts, and at *Presbury*, to the Corn, and other Fruits of the Earth, and to the Windows and Houſes by the late Lightning, Thunder, and Storm of Hail, amounted to upwards of 2000l. And was ſo dreadful to the Inhabitants, that they thought they had not a Minute to live.

On *Wedneſday* Night laſt about Eleven o'Clock, as the three eldeſt Princeſſes, accompanied by the Lady *Lumley*, were returning from the Palace at *Richmond* to *Kew-Green*, the Coachman paſſing the great Gate of the Palace, by Accident fell off the Box, and the Horſes ran precipitantly towards the River, but thro' the ſpeedy Aſſiſtance of their Royal Highneſſes Servants, they received no Damage.

Yeſterday Morning the Tents, Spades, *&c.* were delivered out at the *Tower*, to be carried down for the Uſe of the Camp at *Hampton-Court*.

The ſame Day, about Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, a poor Woman was run over by a Gentleman's Coach in St. *Martin's-ſtreet* by *Leiceſter-Fields*, and bruiſed in ſo dangerous a Manner, that her Life is deſpaired of.

Pref. Yeſterday came on the Election for Clerk of the Coopers Company; the Candidates were Mr. *Brounker* and Mr. *Webber*, when the latter was choſen by a Majority of three Votes.——The ſame Day Mr. *Henry Bund*, Fellow of *Worceſter* College in *Oxford*, was choſen Lecturer of St. *Mary Aldermanbury*, without Oppoſition.——The Rev. Mr. *Murray* was lately preſented to the Living of *Healing*, in the County of *Lincoln*; being in the Gift of —— *Waller*, Eſq; of the ſaid County, and vacant by the Death of the laſt Incumbent.

Deaths. On *Wedneſday* Night Mr. *Highmore*, Sen. an eminent Cole-Merchant in *Thames-ſtreet*, went to Bed ſeemingly in good Health, and was found dead the next Morning.——On *Friday* laſt died at her Houſe near *Warwick*, the Relict of *William Colmore*, Eſq; who in two Parliaments was a Repreſentative for that Town. By her Death an Eſtate of about 800l. *per Ann.* comes to Mr. *Thomas Colmore*, a *Maryland* Merchant of this City.

Chriſtned	M. 171	339		20 and 30		32
	F. 168			30	40	34
Buried	M. 243	456		40	50	38
	F. 213			50	60	24
Decreaſed 23				60	70	16
Died under 2 Years old.		192		70	80	14
Between 2 and 5 ——		44		80	90	19
5 and 10 25,	10 and 20	13		90	100	5

COLLETT's *Courſe of Exchange.*

Lond. Courſe, *June* 4.

The Exchange is on			Bal. Prices. *Amſt.*		
Amſterdam	34	9			
Paris	31	¼	55	6 1/2	—
Leghorn	50	½	87	¼	—
Genoa	53	½	92	15/16	+
Venice	48	½	84	¼	+
Cadiz	41	½	99	1/16	—
Madrid	41	½	79	½	+
Lisbon	5 5	½	45	½	+
Oporto	5 5	¼	45	1/16	+
Hamburgh	33	9	32	1/16	+
Dublin	11	¼			

C. Snell.

Remit from Amſt. to all the Places for which the *Amſt.* Prices are *under* theſe, and *Draw on them from London*, for Advance. *Draw at Amſt.* on all the Places for which the *Amſt.* Prices are *over* theſe, and *Remit to them from London*, for Advance.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Arrived Mails.——Monday; *one from* France *and one from* Holland.——Wedneſday; *one from* France.

A more particular Relation, than any yet publiſhed, of the dreadful Earthquake that lately happened at Foggia *in the Kingdom of* Naples.

THE City of *Foggia* ſituate in *La Capitanata*, a Province of *Apuglia*, in the Kingdom of *Naples*, and one of the beſt in the Province, has undergone ſeveral Misfortunes in paſt Ages. It has been expoſed to the Invaſions of the *Barbarians*, taken by the *Saracens*, ſack'd by *Mainfroy's* Soldiers, burnt and diſmantled by that King. It has ſuffered at different Times, Peſtilence and Famine: It has been rent by Inteſtine Diviſions; but all theſe Misfortunes are nothing in Compariſon with what it has lately endured by an Earthquake, which has thrown down or ſhattered every Houſe, bury'd a great Number of Perſons of all Ages, Sexes, and Conditions, under their Ruins, and reduced the ſurviving Inhabitants to extreme Miſery.

This Earthquake happen'd upon the 20th of *March* laſt. The firſt Shock was felt about Four o'Clock in the Morning: It was ſo violent and ſo haſty, that moſt of the Houſes were down, and ſeveral People bury'd under the Ruins, before the Inhabitants knew that there was an Earthquake. The firſt Shock laſted five Minutes: A Minute after, they felt another as violent: The Water in the Wells, tho' 30 or 40 Foot deep, ran out at the Mouths, and overflow'd the Neighbourhood.

The Fright which ſeized the Inhabitants upon theſe two Shocks, is not to be expreſſed. Thoſe who had the good Fortune not to be cruſhed under the Fall of the Houſes, made the beſt of their Way from the Spot, without carrying any Thing with them, or knowing which Way to run. The thick Cloud, occaſioned by the Duſt, the Confuſion of the Night, the Heaps of Stones, the Cries and Groans of thoſe who were half buried, and begg'd for Help, increaſed the Horror with which they were ſeized, and nearly reſembled the laſt Day of Judgment; eſpecially when at Break of Day they found themſelves in the Plain, Men, Women, and Children, all in a Manner naked, pale, trembling, and covered with Duſt.

Scarce were they got here neither, but a third Shock, as violent as the two former, finiſh'd the Demolition of that unhappy City. In Proportion as the Day came on, the Cries and Groans of the People increaſed: Children crying for their Parents; Parents looking for their Children; and what added to their Miſery was, a piercing Cold which ſeized their Limbs, having no Cloaths nor any Thing elſe to cover them. We cannot yet procure a Liſt of the Houſes demoliſhed: Mean Time, there are now left ſtanding, only the Convent of the *Capuchins*, that of the Conſervatory of the Penitent Nuns, the Biſhop's Palace, and a few Houſes in the Great Square. All the other Houſes are either entirely down, or in ſo ruinous a Condition, that they are uninhabitable. The Number of Perſons buried under the Ruins is computed at about 2000; and 'tis reckon'd that there were, that and the following Days, above 50 Shocks of an Earthquake.

Hague, *June* 8. N. S. An Expreſs is arrived here from *Paris*, who ſet out from thence in the Night between the 4th and 5th Inſtant, with Diſpatches from *Mynheer Vander Meer* of the 21ſt *ult.* brought by Mr. *Keene's* Courier. The Purport of thoſe Diſpatches was this: That it being abſolutely impoſſible for the King of *Spain* to diſpenſe with the Queen and her Counſels, he had given the Reins into her Majeſty's Hands: That *Patinho* and his Party were diſgrac'd: That as ſoon as the News of the Queen's Triumph was heard, Mr. *Keene*, to give the Count *de Rattemburg* a *Rowland for his Oliver*, preſented a Memorial in the Name of the King his Maſter, preſſing his *Catholick* Majeſty to declare himſelf touching his Approbation of the Treaty of *Vienna*. And that the Marquis *de la Paz* had therefore anſwered him, that his *Catholick* Majeſty was ready to ſign the *Act of Approbation*, as ſoon as he had received his *Britannick* Majeſty's Conſent to the Alterations made therein, together with a full Power to ſign it likewiſe.

Upon the Arrival of this Expreſs, the Grand Penſionary immediately ſummon'd an Aſſembly of the States of *Holland*, to acquaint them with the Above, and to haſten their Acceſſion, becauſe upon their Reſolution depends that of the other Provinces.

Hague, *May* 29. N. S. Private Letters from *Ratiſbon* confirm to us, that the Prince of *Furſtenberg*, the Emperor's principal Commiſſioner, had received a Commiſſorial Decree from *Vienna*, which he was to offer to the publick Dictature the 21ſt or 22d Inſtant, at the ſame Time that he communicated to the Dyet the Treaty of *Vienna* of the 16th of *March* laſt, in Order for the Approbation and Acceſſion of the Electors, Princes and States of the Empire. They farther aſſure us, that it is recommended to the Prince of *Furſtenberg* and the other Imperial Miniſters in the Dyet, to haſten this Affair, that the Court of *France* may not have Time to ſtrike up an Alliance in the Empire; for it is ſtill ſuſpected, that ſhe finds the Courts of *Munich* and *Cologn*, and perhaps that of *Manheim* too, forward enough to ſecond her Intentions. Be that as it will, we hear it poſitively aſſerted, that the Imperial Court has engaged that of *Saxony* in its Intereſt.

Extract of a Letter from Cadiz, *dated* May 22. *N. S.*

We are yet in the Dark as to Publick Affairs, and conſequently full of Anxiety. Moſt People believe that this Kingdom has no Thoughts of War, there being not the leaſt Preparations making of that Kind; and yet our Court ſhews very little Diſpoſition to any Accommodation. The *Britiſh* Commiſſaries have been long at *Seville*, ready to enter on the Buſineſs they came about; but we can't learn that any Commiſſaries have as yet been appointed to meet them on the Part of *Spain*. In ſhort, our Court does nothing for the Good of the Commerce of this Kingdom, by which they are ſupported, much leſs for any other Nation, but takes the moſt effectual Methods to deſtroy it. Orders are come for four Men of War to be forthwith fitted to be ready to ſail by the End of *July*, for *La Vera Crux*, with Quick-Silver and Fruits of this Country; and it is believ'd the Regiſter Ships for the *Havana* and *Caraccas*, will ſail with them; but the Detention of the Flota's Treaſure, now above nine Months ſince its Arrival, and no Proſpect of its being deliver'd, has occaſion'd ſo great Poverty, and diſcouraged the Merchants ſo much, that the Trade to *New Spain* cannot be carry'd on, unleſs put upon a better Footing. The Aſſogues Ships from *La Vera Crux*, are hourly expected; it is hoped the Treaſure they bring will capacitate the King to begin delivering the Flota's. We have now eight Men of War cruiſing on the *Moors* in the *Streights*.

Extract of our Private Letters from Paris.

We have here Advices from *Spain*, which, if they prove true, threaten *Europe* with a new Revolution in the Syſtem of Affairs. It is confidently affirm'd, that the *Catholick* King is in a very bad Way; and that the Accident in his Leg is not his only Complaint. It is eaſy to imagine, if that Prince ſhould happen to die, what Changes there would be at the Court of *Spain*, where the Queen is not beloved by the Prince of the *Aſturias*, for whoſe Sentiments all the Miniſters would declare. But on the other Hand, as his Royal Highneſs's Health is very crazy and uncertain, they would be obliged to pay a Sort of De-

ference to the Infante *Don Carlos* as Presumptive Heir; the Princess of the *Asturia's* not having yet had the least Symptom of being with Child. —— Several Reports are industriously spread here, of Preparations for the Siege of *Gibraltar*, seizing the Effects of the *English*, and the like; which we look upon only as Artifices to divide the two Nations, as Men flatter themselves they have already divided the Two Courts: For what Likelihood is there, if the K. of *Spain* is so ill, that the Queen never leaves him, but signs all the Orders, that the Ministers will take upon them the Consequence of such an Enterprize against the *English*, of whom the Court of *Spain* has no Reason to complain, unless it be for obtaining in the Treaty of *Vienna*, all that the said Court wish'd or desir'd since the Treaty of *Seville*?

Upon the whole matter, there seems to be an entire Correspondence between our Ministry and that of *Seville*. The Cardinal, *they say*, has secured the Marquis de *Castellar*, and the Marquis has secured his Brother Don *Joseph de Patinho*. But then it remains for us to see, whether the Queen will suffer herself to be domineer'd over, and threatned; and whether she will at once lose her *Italian* Genius, and shake off her hasty Temper.

Hops	*From.*	*To.*	Stocks	*Saturday*	*Monday*	*Tuesday*	*Wednesday.*	*Thursday*	*Friday.*
1727	28	33	*S. Sea*	102 ¼ a ⅜ ½	102 ½ 101 101 ¾	101 ½, 2, 101 ⅞, 2	102 ¾ a ⅜	102 ⅜	102 ⅛, ½ a ⅜
1728	31	34	*Annu.*	106 ¼	106 ½ a ⅜	106 ½	106 ¼	106 ½	106 ⅜ a ½
1729	38	42	*Bank*	145 ⅛, ¼	145 ½	145 ¼ a ½	154 ¾	145 ⅞	145 ⅞
1730.	3*l.*	19	*India*	196 ⅛	196 ¼ 194 ½ 5 ¾	195 ⅜, ½ 196 ½	196 ½	196 ¾	197 6 ½ a ¾
Coals	25		*3p. C.*	95 ⅜	95 ⅜	95 ¼	95 ¼ a ⅜	95 ⅝	95 ⅜
Grain	*p.* Quart.		*MBan*	108	108	108	108	108	108
Wheat	26	30	*Afric.*	51 ½	51 ½	51 ½	51 ½	50 ½	50 ½
Rye	12	15	*Y. Bu.*	22 ¼	22	21 ¾	21 ¾	21 ¾	21 ¾
Barley	16	17 ½	*R Ass.*	98 ½	98 ¾	98 ¾	98 ¼	98 ¼	98 ¾
Oates	11	12	*L. Litt*	12 ½	12 ½ a ⅝	12 ½	12 ½	12 ½	12 ½
Tares	20	26 ½	*ECop.*	3*l. s.*	3*l.*	3*l.*	3*l.*	3*l. s.*	3*l.*
H. Beans	20	24	*Whitt*	2*l.* 11*s.*	2*l.* 10*s.*	2*l.* 10*s.*	2*l.* 10*s.*	2*l.* 10*s.*	2*l.* 7
H. Pease	18	20	*B. Cir*	7*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.*	7*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.*	7*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.*	7*l.* 17*s.* 6	7*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.*	7*l.* 17*s.* 6
Boil. dit.	20	25	*IBon.*	5*l.* 13*s.*	5*l.* 16*s.*	5*l.* 15 a 16	5*l.* 16	5*l.* 17*s.*	5*l.* 18
P. Malt	20	25	*SSdit*	5*l.* 11*s.*	5*l.* 14*s.*	5*l.* 13*s.* a 14	5*l.* 14*s.*	5*l.* 15*s.*	5*l.* 16*s.*
dit. Br.	22	23 ½	Tickets.	6*s*	16*s*	17*s* Prem.	17*s* to 7*s* 6*d*	17*s*	17*s* to 7*s* 6*d* Pre

ARRIVED

When arriv'd *at* FALMOUTH *from*
26 *May* Christy *Tucker* London
29 P. Frederick *Lovel* Lisbon
PLYMOUTH *from*
28 *May* Johannah *Gitton* Rotterd.
COWES. *from*
31 *May* Content *Johnson* Dover
PORTSMOUTH. *from*
27 *May* Gold. Mary *Cavendish* S. Ubes
2 *June* John, Mary *Trew* Rotterd.
LIVERPOOL. *from*
25 *May* Edward *Bell* Virginia
29 Cleavland *Griffith* S. Kitts
Vine *Bridson* ditto
BRISTOL. *from*
26 *May* Molly *Tonkin* Antigua
Mary *Babbin* Jamaica
Ferrand *Grice* Oporto
30 Post Boy Jamaica
Who reports that they saw a Ship a Shore, in the Windward Passage.
40 to 46 Guines Prem. is given on the *Windham*, and 20 on the *Mitford*.
DOVER. *from*
1 *June* Providence *Read* Norway
DEAL. *from*
27 *May* Rose *Morrison* Lisbon
30 Q. Mary *Gilbert* Zant
Charm. Sally *Street* Hamburg
2 *June* America *Crony* Genoa
GRAVESEND *from*
28 *May* Anthony *Redman* Mountser.
Ann *Scott* Norway
29 George *Rhen* Hamburgh
Concordia *Torrison* Norway
30 Trial K. Sloop *Cockayne* Jamaica
Aaron *Hughs* Mountserat
Hampshire *Mocket* Cadiz
Prosperous *Murray* Guernsey
Mary *Bilby* Calais
Chandois *Jewers* Rotter.
Wm & Thomas *Yarmouth* Konnig.
Hanover *Hitchingham* Norw
Essex *Dawson* ditto
Change *Baker* ditto
Flying Mercury *Darling* ditto
Humphrey *Raphe* ditto
Richard & Ann *Morley* ditto
London *Marjerum* ditto
Godferry *Kellet* ditto
Three Brothers *Kellet* ditto
Cambridge *Abbot* ditto
Cardonel *Ducking* ditto
York *Peirson* ditto
John & Eliz. *Manning* ditto
Prov. & Hanna *Hammond* ditto
Wm & Deborah *Story* ditto
John & Mary *Francis* ditto
Blessing *Hall* ditto
Acton *Moore* ditto
Oldner *Bowdle* ditto
31 Britannia *Howlatson* Rotterd.
Catherine *Clarebut* Dunkirk
Anna Catherina *Simson* Hamburgh
Furr-Tree *Redhead* Norway
Farmer *Knap* Amstero.
1 *June* Yarmouth *Davy* Norway
2 Friends Success *Hammond* ditto
Blessing *Chapman* ditto
Sam. & Mary *Holland* ditto
Margaret, Eliz. *Wright* ditto
Matt. & Tho. *Hamman* ditto
Young Alexan. *Hollis* Rotterd.
2 Jouffou Catherine *Bornman* Bremen

—IRELAND.—

When arriv'd at DUBLIN *from*
22 *May* Betty *Mallet* S. Sebast.
CORK *from*
21 *May* Success *Nagle* Bilboa
22 Vine *Bridson* S. Kitts

—FOREIGN PORTS.—

VIRGINIA *from*
15 *Ap.* Sarah Mary *Lane* London
S. CHRISTOPHERS *from*
S. Christophers *Campbel* Boston
NEVIS *from*
W. India Marca. *Showers* London
Friendship *Fenton* Boston
NAILES. *from*
18 *May* Carew *Horsfhead* Leghorn
LEGHORN *from*
25 *May* Dragon *Clark* Messina
26 P. Mary *Baltiho* Cadiz
ALICANT. *from*
17 *May* John, Eliz. *Smith* St. Paola
18 Roebuck *Roebuck* Sicily
Gibraltar *Martinez* Mayorca
21 Two Sarahs *Richards* Lisbon
22 Pearl *Irwin* Cadiz
MALAGA. *from*
22 *May* Prince *Willis* London
Mary *Stratton* Norway
Jane *Bootle* Liverpool
Wm & Ann *Beveridge* Mahon
Phenix *Ellis* Cadiz
Farmer *Burrel* ditto
CADIZ. *from*
15 *May* Unity *Brame* Hamburgh
Friendship *Barker* ditto
S Lewis *Brownel* Ostend
Brothers *Scott* Venice
16 Pr. de Luarra *Williams* Tetuan
Dolphin *Cormick* Malaga
Susannah *New* Bristol
Dickey *Friend* London
18 Rachael *Colbatch* Lisbon
Two Brothers *Pattles* Lisbon
22 Mary *Hill* London
LISBON. *from*
19 *May* Thomas *Page* London
ROTTERDAM. *from*
Mary King's *Mally* London
Catherine Yatcht *Pomerey* ditto
Prin. Ann ditto
Delight ditto
Jones S. Eustatia
AMSTERDAM. *from*
Arms of Roan *Back* London
Q. Caroline *Scott* Carolina
Culpepper *Newel* ditto
Hope *Bedford* ditto
BREMEN. *from*
Christ. Eliz. *Hilliers* London
HAMBURGH. *from*
Argyle *Hamilton* St. Jago
Endeavour *Boulton* Canaries
STOCKHOLM *from*
Speedwell *Hooper* London
DANTZIC. *from*
Josiah *Hales* London

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When, Sailed *for* ENGLAND. *from*
25 *Mar.* Mitford Jamaica
Black Joak *Thurbettle* ditto
26 Rebecca *Jenkins* Jamaica
5 *Ap.* Recovery *Wheatly* Jamaica
15 *May* Pelham *Nicholson* Cadiz
St. John Baptist *Harvey* ditto
19 Brothers *Miller* ditto
22 Ann *Speed* Malaga
15 *May* Orphan *Burford* Lisbon
28 Bedwel *Wade* ditto
25 Carteret *Durel* Genoa
For the NORTH. *from*
16 *May* Peggy *Drayson* Cadiz

—IRELAND.—

27 *May* Success *Warwick* Southamp.
22 Batchelors Del. *Says* Leghorn
18 Rebecca *Mackenny* Cadiz
St. George *Clark* ditto

—FOREIGN PORTS.—

For NEW-FOUNDLAND *from*
28 *May* C. Jenny *Rennay* Dartmouth
2 *June* Hap. Return *Matthews* Dowr.
For NEW ENGLAND *from*
15 *May* Fortune *Bowdish* Cadiz
19 Happy Jane *Echingham* ditto
20 Phenix *Steward* ditto
Phenix. *Warrington* ditto
Bonera *Lawrence* ditto
For NEW YORK. *from*
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Johanna *Peyton* ditto
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For JAMAICA *from*
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For { LEEWARD OR CARIBBEE } Islands *from*
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For BARBADOES *from*
27 *May* Ruby *Small* Downs
19 Three Friends *Mackclare* Dublin
For the STEIGHTS. *from*
27 *May* Theophila *Long* Downs
29 Margaret *Snow Daws* ditto
21 Bicket *King* Leghorn
25 Pompey *Dean* ditto
14 Loyalty *Tarlton* Cadiz
15 Sarah *Swinny* ditto
Diamond *Young* ditto
Griffin *Nichols* ditto
Mary *Streeton* ditto
Catherine *Conner* ditto
Phenix *Ellis* ditto
18 Cadiz Frigate *Jackson* ditto
Ailsbury *Newton* ditto
19 Concord *Speiman* ditto
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29 John *Carr* Dublin
For S. LUCAR. *from*
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